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INJECTING AND SEALING LIQUID
CRYSTAL

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AMENDMENT

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Dear Sir:

Introductory Comments

In response to the Office Action dated March 3, 2003 (Paper No. 6), please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims

1. (Currently Amended) An injecting and sealing apparatus of a liquid crystal display device comprising:

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an elevator for conveying a liquid crystal display panel having a liquid crystal injection hole from the injecting apparatus to the sealing apparatus;

a residual liquid crystal remover for removing contaminated liquid crystal at a periphery of the liquid crystal injection hole;

a sealer for sealing the liquid crystal injection hole with a sealant; and

an ultraviolet irradiating unit for hardening the sealant.

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